

**PATENT APPLICATION**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q66458

Shinji KIKUCHI

Appln. No.: 09/964,498

Group Art Unit: 3694

Confirmation No.: 2543

Examiner: Behrang BADII

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For: ELECTRONIC COMMERCE TRANSACTION AUDIT SYSTEM, ELECTRONIC  
COMMERCE TRANSACTION AUDIT METHOD, AND STORAGE MEDIUM  
RECORDING ELECTRONIC COMMERCE TRANSACTION AUDIT PROGRAM  
THEREON

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of three months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of September 7, 2007 to March 7, 2008.

The statutory fee of \$1050.00 is being paid via EFS filing screen. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

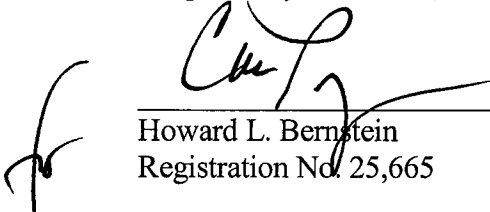
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